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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please enter the following amendment to the English Translation of the International Application before examining this application.

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 1-26 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims 27-55:

27. A replication defective recombinant adenovirus comprising at least one DNA sequence encoding all or an active part of a glutathione peroxidase, or a derivative thereof.

28. An adenovirus according to claim 27, wherein the DNA sequence is a cDNA sequence.

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